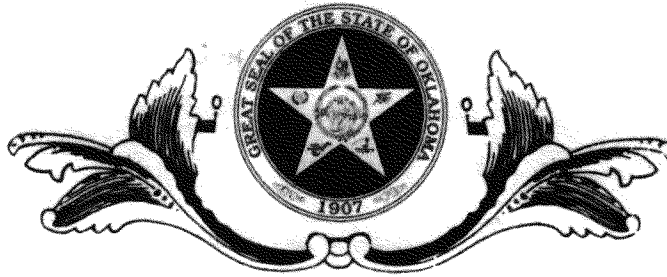


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Proclamation

Whereas, Oklahoma is home to more than 200 lakes and reservoirs with more miles of shoreline than the Gulf and Atlantic shores combined; and

Whereas, lakes and reservoirs are among Oklahoma's most valuable natural resources; and

Whereas, Oklahoma lakes and reservoirs play an important role in Oklahoma's history, growth, and financial well-being; and

Whereas, lakes and reservoirs provide drinking water, irrigation, energy, recreation, scenic beauty, and habitat for wildlife; and

Whereas, Oklahoma lakes and reservoirs improve the quality of life for our residents and it is crucial to protect them for future generations;

Now Therefore, I, Governor J. Kevin Stitt, do hereby proclaim July, 2023 as

"Oklahoma Lakes Appreciation Month"

in the State of Oklahoma.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Oklahoma to be affixed.



Done at the Capitol, in the City of Oklahoma City, this Sixth day of July, in the Year of Our Lord two thousand and twenty-three, and of the State of Oklahoma in the One-hundred and Fifteenth year.

Brian B. B. B.
SECRETARY OF STATE

K. Stitt
GOVERNOR

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